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The theory of two-photon absorption was developed by Goppert-Mayer. It was applied to a solid by Braunstein [2] and Loudon [3]. According to [2] the probability of the fact that an electron from a valence zone simultaneously absorbs two noncoherent photons: $\hbar\omega_1$ and $\hbar\omega_2$ and converts into a zone of conductivity is expressed:

$$W = \frac{8\pi^{3}\hbar e^{4}N_{1}N_{2}}{m^{4}\omega_{1}\omega_{2}}\int \frac{d^{3}k}{(2\pi)^{3}} \left[\frac{|P_{vn}^{(1)}|^{2}|P_{nc}^{(2)}|^{2}}{(E_{nh}-E_{vh}-\hbar\omega_{1})^{2}} + \frac{|P_{vn}^{(2)}|^{3}||P_{nc}^{(1)}||^{2}}{(E_{nh}-E_{vh}-\hbar\omega_{2})^{3}} \right] \cdot \delta(E_{ck}-E_{vh}-\hbar\omega_{1}-\hbar\omega_{2})$$

Por case "allowed"-"allowed" transition the matrix element of the moment is written (4).

(2)
$$P_{ij} = H_{ij}(\vec{k_0}) \phi(0) \delta(\vec{k})$$

where H_{ij} matrix elements, computed with the aid of periodic parts of Bloch functions between corresponding states. In this case they are constants. $\phi(\vec{r})$ is the solution of Shrodinger equation for electron-hole pair in the presence of electric field \vec{F} , if we disregard the Coulomb interaction between them

(3)
$$\left[(a_i + a_j) \frac{\vec{p}}{2m} + e\vec{F} \cdot \vec{r} \right] \cdot \Phi l(\vec{r}) = E_i \Phi_i(\vec{r})$$

and is the relationship between the mass of free electron and the effective mass in the corresponding zone. Equation (3) is solved in [5] and is used during computation of the coefficient of electric absorption by K. Tharmalingam [6]. According to [4] in cylindrical coordinates

(4)
$$E_{i} = E_{z} + \frac{\hbar^{2} k^{2}}{2m} (\alpha_{i} + a_{f})$$

(5)
$$\Phi_{i}(\vec{r}) = \beta_{if} \frac{1}{2\pi\hbar} \exp(ik_{\phi}\varrho) \cdot A_{i} \left(\frac{-E_{z} - eF_{z}}{\gamma_{if}}\right)$$

(6)
$$\beta_{ij} = \frac{\left(\frac{2m}{a_i + a_j}\right)^3}{\frac{1}{n^{\frac{1}{2}}(eF)^{\frac{1}{6}}h^{\frac{2}{3}}}}$$

(7)
$$\gamma_{ij} = \left[\frac{(a_i + a_j)h^2}{2m}\right]^{\frac{1}{3}} (eF)^{\frac{2}{3}}$$

 \mathcal{E}_{i} depending on the electric field of energy. $A_{i}(x)$ hiry function.

For a model with three levels

(8)
$$E_{vh} = -a_v \frac{h^2 k_{\varrho}^2}{2m}$$

$$E_{ch} = Eg + a_c \frac{h^2 k_{\varrho}^2}{2m} + E_z$$

$$E_{nh} = \Delta E + a_n \frac{h^2 k_{\varrho}^2}{2m} + E_z$$

The absorption coefficient for photon $\hbar\omega_{i}$ is expressed:

$$K_1 = \frac{2n}{c} \frac{W}{N_1}$$

After substitution of W from (1) and from (2), (5) and (8) we obtain the following expression for K_1 , introducing the density of states:

(10)
$$K_{1} = \frac{2^{9}ne^{4}N_{2}\beta_{nc}^{2}\beta_{vn}^{2}H_{nc}^{2}H_{vn}^{2}}{cm^{3}\hbar\omega_{1}\omega_{2}(a_{c}+a_{v})(2n\hbar)^{4}}\int_{-\infty}^{\infty}\int_{-\infty}^{\infty}\frac{A_{i}^{2}\left(-\frac{E_{z}}{\gamma_{nc}}\right)\cdot A_{i}^{2}\left(-\frac{E_{z}}{\gamma_{vn}}\right)}{\left(\pm E+\frac{a_{n}+a_{v}}{2m}\hbar^{2}k_{e}^{2}+E_{z}-\hbar\omega_{1}\right)}+ \\ +\frac{A_{i}^{2}\left(-\frac{E_{z}}{\gamma_{nc}}\right)\cdot A_{i}^{2}\left(-\frac{E_{z}}{\gamma_{vn}}\right)}{\left(\pm E+\frac{a_{n}+a_{v}}{2m}\hbar^{2}k_{e}^{2}+E_{z}-\hbar\omega_{1}-\hbar\omega_{2}\right)} \\ k_{e}dk_{e}dE_{z}\delta\left(Eg+\frac{a_{c}+a_{v}}{2m}\hbar^{2}k_{e}^{2}+E_{z}-\hbar\omega_{1}-\hbar\omega_{2}\right)$$

The absorption threshold is expressed so:

(11)
$$\hbar\omega_1 + \hbar\omega_3 = \mathcal{E}g + \mathcal{E}_s + \frac{a_c + a_v}{2m} \,\hbar^2 k_o^2$$

Having integrated in terms of E_x and set

(12)
$$Eg + \frac{a_c + a_p}{2m} \hbar^3 k_o^2 - \hbar \omega_1 - \hbar \omega_2 = \gamma_{nc} t$$

$$\Delta E + \frac{a_n + a_p}{a_c + a_p} (\hbar \omega_1 + \hbar \omega_2 - Eg) - \hbar \omega_{1,2} = B_{1,2}$$

$$\frac{\gamma_{nc}}{\gamma_{nn}} = \left(\frac{a_c + a_n}{a_c + a_p}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}} = \gamma$$

$$\gamma_{nc} \left(\frac{a_n - a_c}{a_c + a_n}\right) = cp_o$$

With the aid of (6) and (7) we obtain the following expression for K_1

(1.3)
$$\frac{2^{4}ne^{4}N_{2}H_{ne}^{2}H_{ne}^{2}H_{ne}^{2}}{(2nh)^{6}meh^{3}(a_{e}+n_{n})^{\frac{1}{3}}(a_{n}+a_{v})^{\frac{3}{3}}(a_{e}+n_{v})^{2}\omega_{1}\omega_{2}}$$

$$\int_{E_{g}}^{\infty} \left[\frac{1}{(B_{1}+\rho t)^{2}} + \frac{1}{(B_{2}+\rho t)^{2}} \right] A_{i}^{2}(t)A_{i}^{2}(\gamma t)dt$$

As seen from (13) the absorption coefficient K_1 will depend not only on the number of photons $\hbar w_2 - N_3$, but on the magnitude of the electric field, applied to the crystal. Thanks to this, the absorption can be started with total energy of both photons less than the width of the forbidden zone, similar to single-photon electric absorption. For case

$$a_n = a_e(p=0)$$
 and $\hbar \omega_1 + \hbar \omega_2 < E_e$

we can use the asymptotic formula of Airy function [5]. Let us substitute it in (3) and obtain

$$K_{1} = \frac{ne^{5}FN_{2}H_{ec}^{2}H_{ec}^{2}}{(2\pi\hbar)^{8}h^{2}m^{\frac{3}{2}}c\omega_{1}\omega_{2}\alpha_{c}^{-\frac{1}{6}}(\alpha_{c}+\alpha_{v})^{\frac{3}{3}}} \times \\ \times \left[\frac{1}{(1E-E_{g}+\hbar\omega_{1})^{2}} + \frac{1}{(2E-E_{g}+\hbar\omega_{2})^{2}}\right] \cdot \frac{\exp\left[-\frac{4}{3}\left(\frac{E_{g}-\hbar\omega_{1}-\hbar\omega_{2}}{\gamma_{cc}}\right)\left(1+\gamma^{\frac{3}{2}}\right)\right]}{\frac{1}{\gamma^{\frac{1}{2}}\left(1+\gamma^{\frac{3}{2}}\right)\left(E_{g}-\hbar\omega_{1}-\hbar\omega_{2}\right)^{\frac{3}{2}}}}$$

Similar to single-photon electric absorption (6) and in this case the absorption coefficient depends exponentially on the energy of photons. *

FOOTNOTE * After this work was sent to press, there became known the work of E. Yang. Opt. Communications. 3, 1971, 6, 421, in which there is examined the problem of two-photon transitions in an electric field and the result is expressed with the aid of Airy function.

ENDFOOTNOTE.

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